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# A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HEALTH.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 328, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is  
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated  
3 and to read as follows:

4           "§328- Customized patient medication package. (a) A  
5 pharmacy may provide a customized patient medication package to  
6 any patient of an institutional facility or any member of the  
7 general public; provided that:

8           (1) The pharmacy has obtained the written or verbal  
9           consent of the patient, patient's caregiver, patient's  
10           guardian, or prescribing practitioner; and

11           (2) The written consent is accompanied with the patient's  
12           current prescription and meets the requirements of  
13           section 328-16, United States Pharmacopeia standards,  
14           and National Formulary standards.

15           (b) As used in this section:

16           "Customized patient medication package" means a package  
17 that is prepared by a pharmacist for a specific patient and that  
18 contains one or more prescribed solid oral dosage forms.



1       "Institutional facility" has the same meaning as in section  
2 461-1.

3       "Pharmacist" has the same meaning as "registered  
4 pharmacist" in section 461-1.

5       "Pharmacy" has the same meaning as in section 461-1."

6       SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

7       SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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**Report Title:**

Prescription Drugs; Pharmacy; Customized Patient Medication  
Packages

**Description:**

Authorizes a pharmacy to provide a customized patient medication  
package to any patient of an institutional facility or any  
member of the general public, subject to certain conditions.  
(SD1)

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